## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No: Q94633 In re application of KITAZONO, Eiichi, et al. Appln. No.: 10/577,154 Group Art Unit: 1623 Examiner: Bahar Schmidtmann Confirmation No.: 1395 Filed: April 26, 2006 For: HYALURONIC ACID COMPOUND, HYDROGEL THEREOF AND JOINT TREATING **MATERIAL** AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c) MAIL STOP RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: In response to the Office Action dated September 7, 2010, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows on the accompanying pages. TABLE OF CONTENTS AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS.....2 REMARKS......5